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SUBJECT: MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO CHAD

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DURING SEPTEMBER 8 MEETING WITH PRESIDENT BONGO, I
INFORMED HIM OF PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION MAKING CHAD
ELIGIBLE FOR FOREIGN MILITARY SALES. KNOWING OF HIS
DESIRE TO PRESERVE A NEUTRAL IMAGE AS OAU PRESIDENT,
HOWEVER, I SOFTPEDALED ENCOURAGEMENT THAT GABON BE
RESPONSIVE TO REQUESTS FROM CHAD. PRESIDENT BONGO
STATED HE WAS ALREADY AWARE OF PRESIDENT CARTER'S
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STPTEMBER 1 ACTION WHICH HE WARMLY APPLAUDED. HE
THEN ADDED THAT DURING HIS JULY 28 MEETING WITH
GISCARD, HE HAD URGED THE FRENCH PRESIDENT TO BE
MORE FORTHCOMING WITH MATERIAL FOR CHAD ESPECIALLY
AIRPLANES, HELICOPTERS AND GROUND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT. YATES

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